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MEMORANDUM FOR: Information Review Officer, DIO
Information Review Officer, DDI

FROM: [REDACTED]

Chief, Classification Review Division

SUBJECT: Review of Department of State Draft, FRUS, Volume II, 1955-57, National Security Affairs: Foreign Information Program (U)

1. Attached for your review are 42 documents (278 pages) in the draft of the Department of State's Foreign Relations of the United States, 1955-57, Volume II, found by the Classification Review Division (CRD) to be of interest to CIA. Each document has been reviewed by CRD and recommended deletions are marked on the pages and discussed on the attached worksheet. CRD has reviewed the entire volume of 3038 pages but found only 42 pages of interest to CIA. If you wish to review the entire volume, please advise us and it will be forwarded to you.

2. We recommend against sanitizing the classified National Intelligence Estimates in the FRUS. Many paragraphs, by themselves, could be declassified. But, taken in aggregate the released paragraphs could result in a mosaic and give a good indication of CIA assessment capabilities and intelligence methods.

3. We request your review of the documents attached as soon as possible in order that we may return this material to the Department of State. Please return the draft pages to CRD, along with your comments. If you have any questions concerning the review decisions please contact [REDACTED]

Attachments:

Review Worksheet

FRUS, Volume II Draft, selected pages

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- Orig - DDO/IRO w/attachments
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- 1 - FRUS, Vol. II, 1955-57 w/attachments
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